RCI, INC. Bloomington, Monroe County, IN Revised November 7, 2001

Site Location and Description

This 4.04-acre site is located approximately five miles south of Bloomington at 6560 South Old State Road 37. The site is occupied by two attached structures.

Zip Code: 47401

Site Uses and Past Activities

The larger structure was built as a limestone mill several decades ago. From 1979 to 1985, the site was used as a recycling and disposal facility. A restaurant was operated in the smaller building during a portion of this time. The site has been abandoned since the mid-1980's.

Contaminants and Impacts

Results of the on-site screening sampling conducted by IDEMs Brownfields Program indicated that samples were below the non-residential surface soil criteria for metals (e.g., lead and cadmium) established for IDEMs Voluntary Remediation Program (VRP).

Lead Agency

IDEM and the Indiana Development Finance Authority.

Community Concerns

None specified.

Actions Taken

IDEM completed a Brownfield Environmental Assessment in August 1996. Monroe County was approved for a loan from the Environmental Remediation Revolving Loan Fund through the Indiana Development Finance Authority in August 1999.

Current Status

Monroe County has re-loaned the proceeds of their loan to a private developer. Brownfields, LLC, a company that focuses on brownfields redevelopment, has acquired the property at a tax sale. The developer is currently in IDEM=s VRP. The loan proceeds

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are being used to conduct necessary investigations and cleanup through the VRP.

Future Actions

IDEM Brownfields Program staff will continue to be available to discuss future steps as necessary to facilitate the redevelopment efforts at this property.

Reuse and Redevelopment

Once the environmental issues are resolved, the intended reuse includes refurbishing and possibly enlarging the existing buildings for business use (e.g., light manufacturing, warehousing or office/business services).

Cost Estimates

IDEM Brownfield Environmental Assessments are paid for out of a grant from the US EPA at no cost to the recipient.

Amount of loan: \$50,000.

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